pursuant to paragraph (a) of this section shall be 6 cents per hundredweight.

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## §1011.82 Payments from the transportation credit balancing fund.

(a) On or before the 13th day after the end of each of the months of July through December and any other month in which transportation credits are in effect pursuant to paragraph (b) of this section, the market administrator shall pay to each handler that received, and reported pursuant to §1011.30(a)(6), bulk milk transferred from an other order plant as described in paragraph (c)(1) of this section or that received, and reported pursuant to §1011.30(a)(7), bulk milk directly from producers' farms as specified in paragraph (c)(2) of this section an amount determined pursuant to paragraph (d) of this section. In the event that a qualified cooperative association is the responsible party for whose account such milk is received and written documentation of this fact is provided to the market administrator pursuant to §1011.30(c)(3) prior to the date payment is due, the transportation credits for such milk computed pursuant to this section shall be made to such cooperative association rather than to the operator of the pool plant at which the milk was received.

(b) The market administrator may extend the period during which transportation credits are in effect (i.e., the transportation credit period) to any of the months of January through June if the market administrator receives a written request to do so 15 days prior to the beginning of the month for which the request is made and, after conducting an independent investigation, finds that such extension is necessary to assure the market of an adequate supply of milk for fluid use. Before making such a finding, the market administrator shall notify the Director of the Dairy Division and all handlers in the market that an extension is being considered and invite written data, views, and arguments. Any decision to extend the transportation credit period must be issued in writing

prior to the first day of the month for which the extension is to be effective.

- (c) The transportation credit described in paragraph (a) of this section shall apply to the following milk:
- (1) Bulk milk received from a plant regulated under another Federal order, except Federal Orders 1005, 1007, and 1046, and allocated to Class I milk pursuant to §1011.44; and
- (2) Bulk milk classified pro rata as Class I milk pursuant to §1011.44 received directly from the farms of dairy farmers at pool distributing plants under the following conditions:
- (i) The dairy farmer was not a "producer" under this order during more than 2 of the immediately preceding months of January through June and not more than 32 days' production of the dairy farmer was received as producer milk under this order during that period; and
- (ii) The farm on which the milk was produced is not located within the specified marketing area of this order or the marketing areas of Federal Orders 1005, 1007, or 1046, and, is not within 85 miles of the plant to which its milk is delivered.
- (d) Transportation credits shall be computed as follows:
- (1) For milk described in paragraph (c)(1) of this section, the market administrator shall:
- (i) Determine the shortest hard-surface highway distance between the transferor plant and the transferee plant;
- (ii) Multiply the number of miles computed in paragraph (d)(1)(i) of this section by 0.37 cents;
- (iii) Subtract the other order's Class I price applicable at the transferor plant's location from the Class I price applicable at the transferee plant as specified in §1011.52;
- (iv) Subtract any positive difference computed in paragraph (d)(1)(iii) of this section from the amount computed in paragraph (d)(1)(ii) of this section; and
- (v) Multiply the remainder computed in paragraph (d)(1)(iv) of this section by the hundredweight of milk described in paragraph (c)(1) of this section.
- (2) For milk described in paragraph (c)(2) of this section:
- (i) Each milk hauler that is transporting the milk of producers described

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in paragraph (c)(2) of this section may stop at the nearest independently-operated truck stop with a truck scale and obtain a weight certificate indicating the weight of the truck and its contents, the date and time of weighing, and the location of the truck stop. The location of the truck stop shall be used as a starting point for the purpose of measuring the distance to the pool plant receiving that load of milk. If a weight certificate for a supplemental load of milk for which a transportation credit is requested is not available, the market administrator shall use the nearest city to the last producer's farm from which milk was picked up for delivery to the receiving pool plant.

(ii) For each bulk tank load of milk received pursuant to paragraph (d)(2)(i) of this section, the market administrator shall determine the shortest hard-surface highway distance between the receiving pool plant and the truck stop or city, as the case may be;

(iii) Multiply the number of miles computed in paragraph (d)(2)(ii) of this section by 0.37 cents;

(iv) Subtract this order's Class I price applicable at the origination point determined pursuant to paragraph (d)(2)(ii) of this section (as if this point were a plant) from the Class I price applicable at the distributing plant receiving the milk;

(v) Subtract any positive difference computed in paragraph (d)(2)(iv) of this section from the amount computed in paragraph (d)(2)(iii) of this section; and

(vi) Multiply the number computed in paragraph (d)(2)(iii) of this section by the hundredweight of milk described in paragraph (c)(2) of this section.

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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSESSMENT AND MARKETING SERVICE DEDUCTION

## §1011.85 Assessment for order administration.

As his pro rata share of the expense of administration of the order, each handler shall pay to the market administrator on or before the 15th day after the end of the month 4 cents per hundredweight, or such lesser amount as the Secretary may prescribe, with respect to:

(a) Receipts of producer milk (including such handler's own production) other than such receipts by a handler described in §1011.9(c) that were delivered to pool plants of other handlers;

(b) Receipts from a handler described

in §1011.9(c);

(c) Receipts of concentrated fluid milk products from unregulated supply plants and receipts of nonfluid milk products assigned to Class I use pursuant to §1011.43(d) and other source milk allocated to Class I pursuant to §1011.44 (a)(7) and (a)(11) and the corresponding steps of §1011.44(b), except such other source milk that is excluded from the computations pursuant to §1011.60 (d) and (f); and

(d) Route disposition from a partially regulated distributing plant in the marketing area that exceeds the skim milk and butterfat specified in

 $\S 1011.76(a)(2)$ .

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## §1011.86 Deduction for marketing services.

(a) Except as set forth in paragraph (b) of this section, each handler, in making payments to producers for milk (other than milk of his own production) pursuant to §1011.73, shall deduct 6 cents per hundredweight, or such amount not exceeding 6 cents per hundredweight, as may be prescribed by the Secretary, and shall pay such deductions to the market administrator on or before the 15th day after the end of the month. Such money shall be used by the market administrator to provide market information and to check the accuracy of the testing and weighing of their milk for producers who are not receiving such service from a cooperative association.

(b) In the case of producers who are members of a cooperative association which the Secretary has determined is actually performing the services set forth in paragraph (a) of this section, each handler shall (in lieu of the deduction specified in paragraph (a) of this section), make such deductions from the payments to be made to such producers as may be authorized by the membership agreement or marketing contract between such cooperative association and such producers, and on or